

An Act respecting the Lake Erie and Detroit River  
Railway Company.

**W**HEREAS the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Com- Preamble.  
pany has, by its petition, prayed for the passing of an  
Act for the purposes hereinafter set forth, and it is expedient  
to grant the prayer of the said petition: Therefore Her  
5 Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and  
House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

1. Section 4 of chapter 50 of the statutes of 1893, and 1893, c. 50,  
section 2 of chapter 23 of the statutes of 1896 (First Session), s. 4, and 1896  
are hereby repealed. (1st Sess.)  
c. 23, s. 2,  
repealed.

10 2. If the railway authorized by section 3 of chapter 88 Time extend-  
of the statutes of 1891, and section 1 of chapter 23 of the ed for con-  
statutes of 1896 (First Session) is not commenced within two struction of  
years and completed within five years from the passing of this railway.  
Act, then the powers of construction conferred upon the Lake 1891, c. 88,  
Erie and Detroit River Railway Company by Parliament shall s. 3.  
15 cease and be null and void as respects so much of the under- 1896 (1st  
taking as then remains uncompleted. sess.) c. 23,  
s. 1.

3. Any Act hereafter passed for the purpose of controlling Power of  
railway companies incorporated by or subject to Parliament as Parliament  
20 to the issuing of stock or bonds, and as to rates or tolls and as to future  
the regulation thereof, and as to running powers over or other legislation.  
rights in connection with the railway of any company by any  
other company, and the exercise of powers conferred upon  
railway companies, shall apply to the said company from the  
25 time such Act goes into effect; but this section shall not be  
construed to imply that such Act would not apply to the said  
company without the enactment of this section.